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17. (Confidential - LLM) LIAISON Frank Sullivan, Staff Director, Senate Armed Services Committee, called referring to Tom White's call previously saying that the Committee had decided it wanted to stay in the loop on reports of Presidential findings. I had a full and rather candid conversation with Sullivan on the pros and cons and he said he would like to mull over what I had said and then get together with me the week after next, after he returns from leave. Any other action at this time would be premature.

18. (Confidential - LLM) LIAISON Called Norvill Jones, Chief of Staff, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, on the agreed upon ground rules for the handling of classified information provided to the Committee. He said he would take my suggestion of calling the staff together to make clear the importance of adhering to the spirit and the letter of our security ground rules in this vitally important area.

19. (Confidential - LLM) LIAISON Called Richard Perle, on the staff of the Senate Governmental Affairs Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, and discussed with him at some length his earlier request for access to NIE 11-3/8. This will carry over until the week after next, at which time I said I would get back to him.

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I also repeated to Perle that again I wanted to make it clear that the Director was trying to get in touch with Senator Henry Jackson (D., Wash.) and that we had used the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence on numerous occasions in the past as a vehicle for the handling of sensitive documents on which various Senators are interested; that I am sure the Director would want us to meet the Senator's need and we at all times would stand ready to handcarry the document to wherever the Senator wanted so that he could read it and it could be returned. Perle suggested George Murphy's office, Senate Office of Classified National Security Information, as a possible alternative.

✓ 20. (Unclassified - RJK) LIAISON Called Martin Sletzinger, Staff Assistant, Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe, Joint Committee on Taxation, to inform him that in response to his request for information on Soviet shipping interests and use of U.S. ports, we are sending him a copy of an unclassified Agency publication entitled "Soviet Commercial Operations in the West." Sletzinger appreciated our prompt response.

✓ 21. (Unclassified - MAO) LIAISON Received a call from Mary Dooley, on the staff of the Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures, Committee on the Judiciary, requesting a copy of the research paper entitled "Estimated Soviet Defense Spending: Trends and Prospects." I forwarded a copy of the research paper to Ms. Dooley.

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